



Application No. 09/431,469
Response dated January 10, 2005
Reply to Final Office Action of September 9, 2004

Response Under 37 CFR 1.116
Expedited Procedure 1631
Examining Group

Docket No. VPI/95-09 DIV

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

PATENT APPLICATION

Applicants : David M. Armistead, et al.
Application No.: 09/431,469 Confirmation No.: 8756
Filed : November 1, 1999
For : MOLECULES COMPRISING A CALCINEURIN-LIKE
BINDING POCKET AND ENCODED DATA STORAGE
MEDIUM CAPABLE OF GRAPHICALLY
DISPLAYING THEM
Group Art Unit : 1631
Examiner : Marjorie A. Moran

New York, New York
January 10, 2005

Mail Stop Amendment
Hon. Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

AMENDMENT AND REPLY TO FINAL OFFICE ACTION

Sir:

This Amendment and Reply is further to a Third
Supplemental Amendment, filed on September 9, 2004, and is
in response to the September 9, 2004 Final Office Action.

Applicants have extended the time for response to
that Office Action for one month, up to and including

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January 10, 2005¹ by petition and paid the required fee.

§§ 37 C.F.R. 1.136 and 1.17(a)(1). Accordingly, this response is timely filed.

Kindly amend the application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the Listing of Claims, which begins on page 3 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 15 of this paper.

¹ Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.7, since January 9, 2005 falls on a Sunday, applicant has up to or before January 10, 2005 to respond, since it is the succeeding business day.